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All,

The Oregon Environmental Quality Commission will hold its regular meeting in Newport on Wednesday through Friday, April 25-27. The meeting will include a joint discussion between the commission and the Oregon Board of Forestry to talk about water quality roles and responsibilities between DEQ and Oregon Department of Forestry.

DEQ News Release, 4/9/12:

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Several weeks ago we sent a list of DEQ-EPA-OC TMDL project team names (below) and contact information to the EQC to secure spaces for the Tour (we did not include EPA-Seattle, but let me know ASAP if someone can travel). We also sent the full list of LSAC members. Since ODF/BOF staff are organizing the Tour, it has been unclear how many spaces (and thus, invites) DEQ is actually getting. You should receive an invitation letter from ODF; please hold the date open if you are interested in attending.

The tour agenda has not been finalized; we have been working with ODF, SWCD and others to identify sites and willing/participating landowners.

The overall objectives of the joint meeting and tour are summarized in the News release (above). We are trying to include as many of the CZARA – IR-TMDL issues as possible, recognizing that we can't cover all topics or visit representative sites for all issues in one day.

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